

Why do you need an ethics program?

At Boeing, we believe that how we do our work is just as important as the work that we do. Across our global enterprise, employees are united by a shared commitment to our values, which serve as the guiding principles for all we do. Safety, quality, and integrity must be at the forefront as we design, build, and service our products.

Certain aspects of an ethics and compliance program are required by law. In addition to these regulations, an effective ethics program also allows an organization to differentiate itself from competitors, protect itself from potential reputational risks, and ensure employee alignment and compliance with corporate values.

Suppliers are encouraged to model their ethics program in accordance with the Federal Sentencing Guidelines and industry best practices. Boeing believes that our suppliers and partners share the goal of maintaining the highest standards of business conduct. This shared goal helps enable compliant company performance across all geographic locations. We also recognize that continued, collaborative partnership between our company, suppliers, and other third parties leads to relationships built on trust and respect—which leads to enhanced business performance.

Resources

Defense Industry Initiative (DII):

DII provides organizations with tools, including a model supplier code of conduct, small business toolkit, and information on how to create and maintain an effective ethics program. Free registration is required to access the tools.

International Forum on Business Ethical Conduct (IFBEC):

IFBEC's free resources include global principles, a model supplier code of conduct, model business courtesies, hospitality guidelines, and more.

Ethics & Compliance Initiative:

View resources that include a free ethics & compliance toolkit, ethics program measurement framework, and the Global Business Ethics Survey (GBES).

Federal Sentencing Guidelines Manual:

The Guidelines Manual is available in Adobe PDF formats for viewing, downloading, or printing.

Boeing's Supplier Portal:

Boeing's Supplier Portal offers resources for current Boeing suppliers. Login required.